

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-127. (cancelled)

Claim 128. (currently amended) A method for administering feed materials to a specified dog, comprising:

(a) providing a multiple-sectioned unitary package, the package comprising a plurality of package sections;

(b) adding to two or more package sections two or more distinct edible feed materials that have been selected for the specified dog,

the two or more package sections containing the two or more feed materials in an amount of within ~~about~~ 5 weight percent or less of a specified amount;

wherein the two or more feed materials are chosen from among feed, vitamins, minerals, electrolytes, proteins, and herbs;

(c) administering the feed materials of the package to the dog.

Claim 129. (cancelled)

Claim 130. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein at least one package section contains a vitamin, at least one package section contains a mineral, and at least one package section contains a protein supplement.

Claim 131. (cancelled)

Claim 132. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package sections are filled with distinct feed materials that have been previously selected for the specified dog.

Claims 133-134. (cancelled)

Claim 135. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package contains two sections.

Claim 136. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package contains three sections.

Claim 137. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package contains four sections.

Claim 138. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package contains five sections.

Claim 140. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package contains six sections.

Claim 141. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package sections are sealed prior to opening the package to administer the feed materials.

Claim 142. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package sections are sealed from moisture or external atmosphere.

Claim 143. (currently amended) The method of claim 128 wherein the ~~one~~ two or more feed materials are chosen from among one or more of vitamins, minerals, and proteins.

Claim 144. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package is constructed from a flexible material.

Claim 145. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package is rigid.

Claim 146. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the package body is rigid and has a top member.

Claim 147. (currently amended) A method for administering feed materials to a specified dog, comprising:

(a) providing a multiple-sectioned unitary package comprising a polymer material of construction,

the package comprising a plurality of package sections wherein each package section contains a distinct edible feed chosen from among two or more of feed, vitamins, minerals, electrolytes, proteins, and herbs;

the plurality of package sections containing the two or more feed materials in an amount of within ~~about~~ 5 weight percent or less of a specified amount, wherein the two or more feed materials have been previously selected for the specified dog;

~~(c)~~ (b) administering the feed materials of the package to the specified dog.

Claim 148. (cancelled)

Claim 149. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein at least one package section contains a vitamin, at least one package section contains a mineral, and at least one package section contains a protein supplement.

Claims 150 - 153. (cancelled).

Claim 154. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package contains two sections.

Claim 155. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package contains three sections.

Claim 156. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package contains four sections.

Claim 157. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package contains five sections.

Claim 158. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package contains six sections.

Claim 159. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package sections are sealed prior to opening the package to administer the feed materials.

Claim 160. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package sections are sealed from moisture or external atmosphere.

Claim 161. (currently amended) The method of claim 147 wherein the ~~one~~ two or more feed materials are chosen from among one or more of vitamins, minerals, ~~electrolytes, and~~ proteins, and ~~herbs~~.

Claim 162. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package is constructed from a flexible material.

Claim 163. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package is rigid.

Claim 164. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the package body is rigid and has a top member.

Claim 165. (previously presented) A method for administering feed materials to a specified dog, comprising:

(a) providing a multiple-sectioned unitary package comprising a polymer material of construction,

the package comprising a plurality of package sections wherein each package section contains one or more edible feed materials chosen from among two or more of feed, vitamins, minerals, electrolytes, proteins, and herbs, wherein the one or more feed materials have been previously selected for the specified dog;

the plurality of package sections comprising distinct feed materials and the plurality of package sections containing the one or more feed materials in an amount of within ~~about~~ 5 weight percent or less of a specified amount;

(b) administering the feed materials of the package to the dog.

Claim 166-167. (cancelled)

Claim 168. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package contains three sections.

Claim 169. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package contains four sections.

Claim 170. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package contains five sections.

Claim 171. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package contains six sections.

Claim 172. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package sections are sealed prior to opening the package to administer the feed materials.

Claim 173. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package sections are sealed from moisture or external atmosphere.

Claim 174. (currently amended) The method of claim 165 wherein the one or more feed materials are chosen from among one or more of feed, vitamins, minerals, and proteins.

Claim 175. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package is constructed from a flexible material.

Claim 176. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package is rigid.

Claim 177. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the package body is rigid and has a top member.

Claim 178. (currently amended) The method of claim 128 wherein the ~~one~~ two or more feed materials are chosen from among ~~one or more of feed~~, vitamins and minerals.

Claim 179. (currently amended) The method of claim 165 wherein the one or more feed materials are chosen from among ~~one or more of feed~~, vitamins and minerals.

Claim 180. (previously presented) The method of claim 128 wherein the administered feed materials comprise glucosamine HCl, glucosamine sulfate, or chondroitin sulfate.

Claim 181. (previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein the administered feed materials comprise glucosamine HCl, glucosamine sulfate, or chondroitin sulfate.

Claim 182. (previously presented) The method of claim 165 wherein the administered feed materials comprise glucosamine HCl, glucosamine sulfate, or chondroitin sulfate.

Claim 183. (currently amended) A method for administering feed materials to a specified dog, comprising:

(a) providing a multiple-sectioned unitary package comprising a polymer material of construction,

the package comprising a plurality of package sections wherein each package section contains one or more edible feed materials chosen from among two or more of feed, vitamins, minerals, electrolytes, proteins, and herbs, wherein the one or more feed material have been previously selected for the specified dog;

the plurality of package sections comprising distinct feed materials and the plurality of package sections containing the one or more feed materials in an amount of within ~~about~~ 5 weight percent or less of a specified amount, wherein the package sections are sealed prior to opening the package to administer the feed materials;

(b) administering the feed materials of the package to the dog, ~~128~~

wherein the administered feed materials comprise glucosamine HCl, glucosamine sulfate, or chondroitin sulfate.